

CSWC Operational Period Summary

1800 January 15 2016 to 0600 January 16 2016



Caltrans clears a boulder from Hwy 50 east of Kyburz, El Dorado County.

Photo Credit: Caltrans District 3/Twitter

Note: [Report updates are in blue](#)



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SITUATION SUMMARY

911 Outage, Wawona, Mariposa County

- On 01/15/16 at 0903 hours the California State Warning Center (CSWC) received a report indicating that there was a 911 outage in Wawona, Mariposa County.
- The California 911 Branch advised the following at 1641 hours:
 - A Microwave Team is working each segment of the Microwave System in Yosemite clearing one a time. Microwave Technicians have cleared the Yosemite 61 Remote and has advised that the damage could be caused by an alignment problem at a repeater located near the El Capitan.
 - Due to the weather conditions, the crew will resume work tomorrow morning after 0900 hours. Two teams are scheduled to work on the damage in the morning. Per AT&T, an update will be provided on 01/16/16 at 1000 hours.
 - Yosemite National Park PD is not affected by this outage and is in service.
 - Wawona, Mariposa County CA with 539 ATNs affected (affecting the 209 area code).

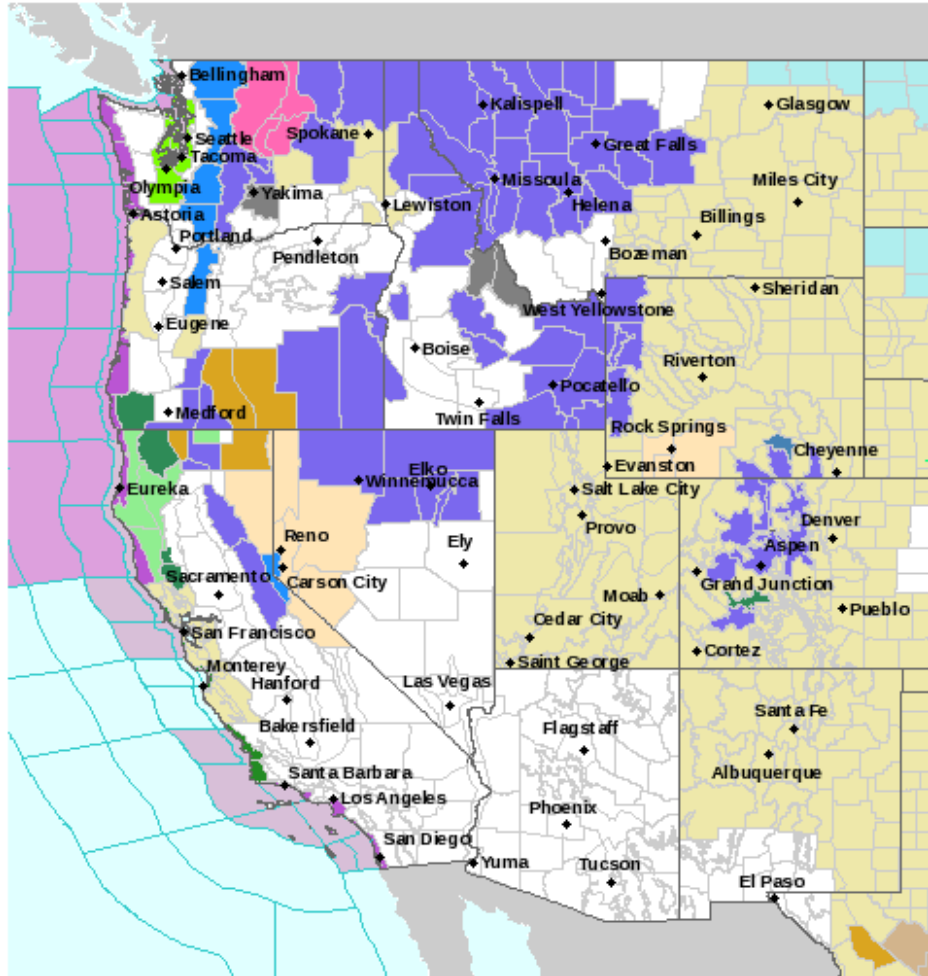
Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- SOC / Inland REOC remains activated in support of 2014 Drought

Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:

http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/sto/brief/wwa_bc_cal.php

WEATHER



- Winter Storm Warning
- High Wind Warning
- Avalanche Warning
- High Surf Warning
- Flash Flood Watch
- Gale Warning
- Winter Weather Advisory
- Wind Chill Advisory
- Flood Advisory
- Coastal Flood Advisory
- High Surf Advisory
- Small Craft Advisory For Hazardous Seas
- Small Craft Advisory For Rough Bar
- Small Craft Advisory
- Hazardous Seas Warning
- Lake Wind Advisory
- Wind Advisory
- Avalanche Watch
- Gale Watch
- Winter Storm Watch
- Flood Watch
- High Wind Watch
- Special Weather Statement
- Marine Weather Statement
- Air Quality Alert
- Air Stagnation Advisory
- Hazardous Weather Outlook
- Hydrologic Outlook
- Short Term Forecast

Last map update: Jan, 16th 2016 at 6:47:33 am MST



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REGIONAL WINTER WEATHER SUMMARY

COASTAL REGION

North Coast

- Heavy rain Sunday with urban and small stream flooding likely.
 - 2-4 inches of precipitation, locally up to 6 inches with snow levels rising to 7000 feet
- Significant rises on main stem rivers
- Water over low-lying roadways, localized urban flooding, flooded fields, and debris on roadways.

Lake County

- Valley/Rocky/Jerusalem fire burn areas: Flash flooding and/or rock/debris flows.
 - DWR staff have pre-positioned 52,000 sandbags in cooperation with the Lake County OES

SF/Monterey Bay Areas

- Coastal flooding possible during high tide Saturday afternoon into Sunday

REGIONAL WINTER WEATHER SUMMARY

INLAND REGION

Shasta Valley – Siskiyou County

- High winds will cause increased chance of property damage.
- Travel impacts – especially for high profile vehicles
 - South winds 30 to 50 MPH with gusts to 60 MPH
- Moderate to heavy rainfall Sunday with snow levels at 6000 to 7000 feet
 - Happy Camp region expected to see 2 inches of rainfall in 24hr period
 - Small streams and creeks could exceed banks. No flooding of main stem rivers

Eastern Sierras/Tahoe Basin

- Higher terrain, above 7000 feet, could reach 6 inches or more of snow early Saturday into Sunday
- Foothill communities below 5500 feet will see 2-4 inches of a mix of rain and snow.
- 5500 to 7000 feet will see snow accumulations 2 to 5 inches
- Travel impacts – Gusty winds and dangerous cross winds combined with snow covered and icy roads over passes tonight through Tuesday

Sacramento and San Joaquin Valleys

- No significant impacts expected
- 1 to 2 inches total precipitation is forecast Saturday through Monday

REGIONAL WINTER WEATHER SUMMARY

SOUTHERN REGION

South Coast

- Minor beach erosions possible with strong rip currents Saturday through Tuesday
- Minor flooding possible for low lying areas Saturday through Tuesday
- Minor damage to coastal structures possible during times of highest surf Saturday through Tuesday

Southern Sierras

- Travel impacts – Snow expected over passes with gusty winds tonight through Tuesday

SIGNIFICANT WATCHES AND WARNINGS

COASTAL REGION

- High Surf Warning in effect from 0700 Saturday to 1900 Sunday for the Coastal Marin, Sonoma Counties, San Francisco, San Mateo, Santa Cruz, Monterey Counties
- Flash Flood Watch in effect from Sunday morning through Monday morning for the Valley, Rocky, Jerusalem fire burn areas, Lake County

INLAND REGION

- High Wind Warning in effect from 2200 this evening to 1600 hours Saturday for areas in Siskiyou County
- High Wind Warning in effect from 0100 to 1600 hours Saturday for areas in Modoc County
- High Wind Watch in effect from late Saturday night through Sunday evening for areas in Siskiyou and Modoc Counties
- Flood Watch in effect from late tonight through late Sunday night
- Winter Weather Advisory in effect until 0900 this morning for the West Slope Northern Sierra Nevada

SOUTHERN REGION

- High Surf Warning in effect from 1600 Saturday to 1400 Tuesday for the San Luis Obispo and Santa Barbara County Coasts

RIVER FORECASTS

As of 0650 hours on 01/16/16:

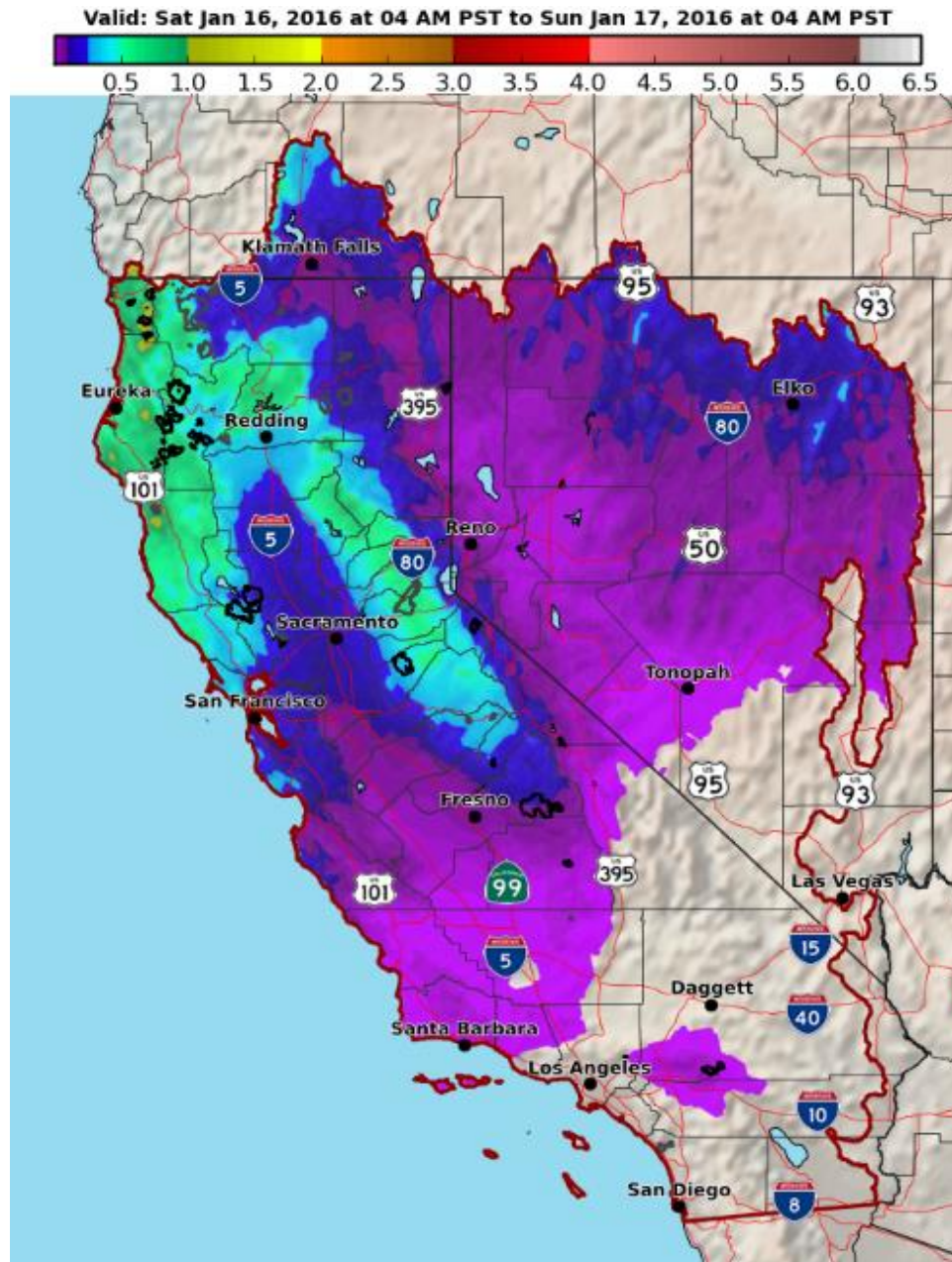
COASTAL REGION

- Mad River at Arcata forecast to go above monitor stage (Humboldt County).
- Eel River at Fernbridge is forecasted to go above monitor stage (Humboldt County).
- Van Duzen at Bridgeville is forecasted to go above monitor stage (Humboldt County).
- Navarro River at Navarro is forecasted to go above flood stage (Mendocino County).
 - Impacts include flooding of Highway 128 approximately 5 miles from Highway 1.
- Russian River at Hopland is forecasted to go above monitor stage (Mendocino County).

INLAND REGION

- Sacramento River at Tehama Bridge is forecasted to go above monitor stage (Tehama County).
- Sacramento River at Ord Ferry is forecasted to go above monitor stage (Glenn County).
- Sacramento River at Colusa Bridge is forecasted to go above monitor stage (Colusa).
- Sacramento River at Tisdale Weir is forecasted to go above monitor stage (Sutter County).

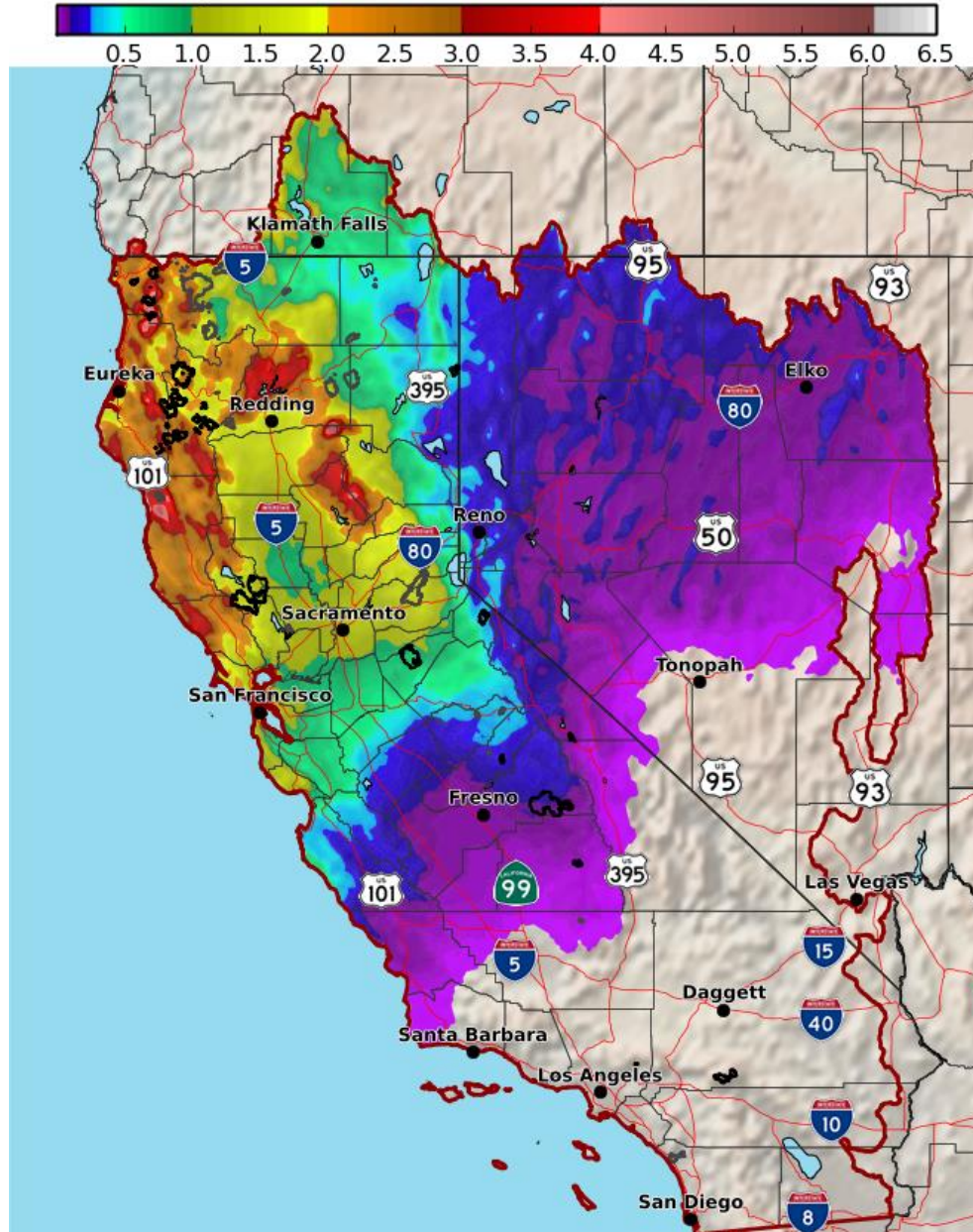
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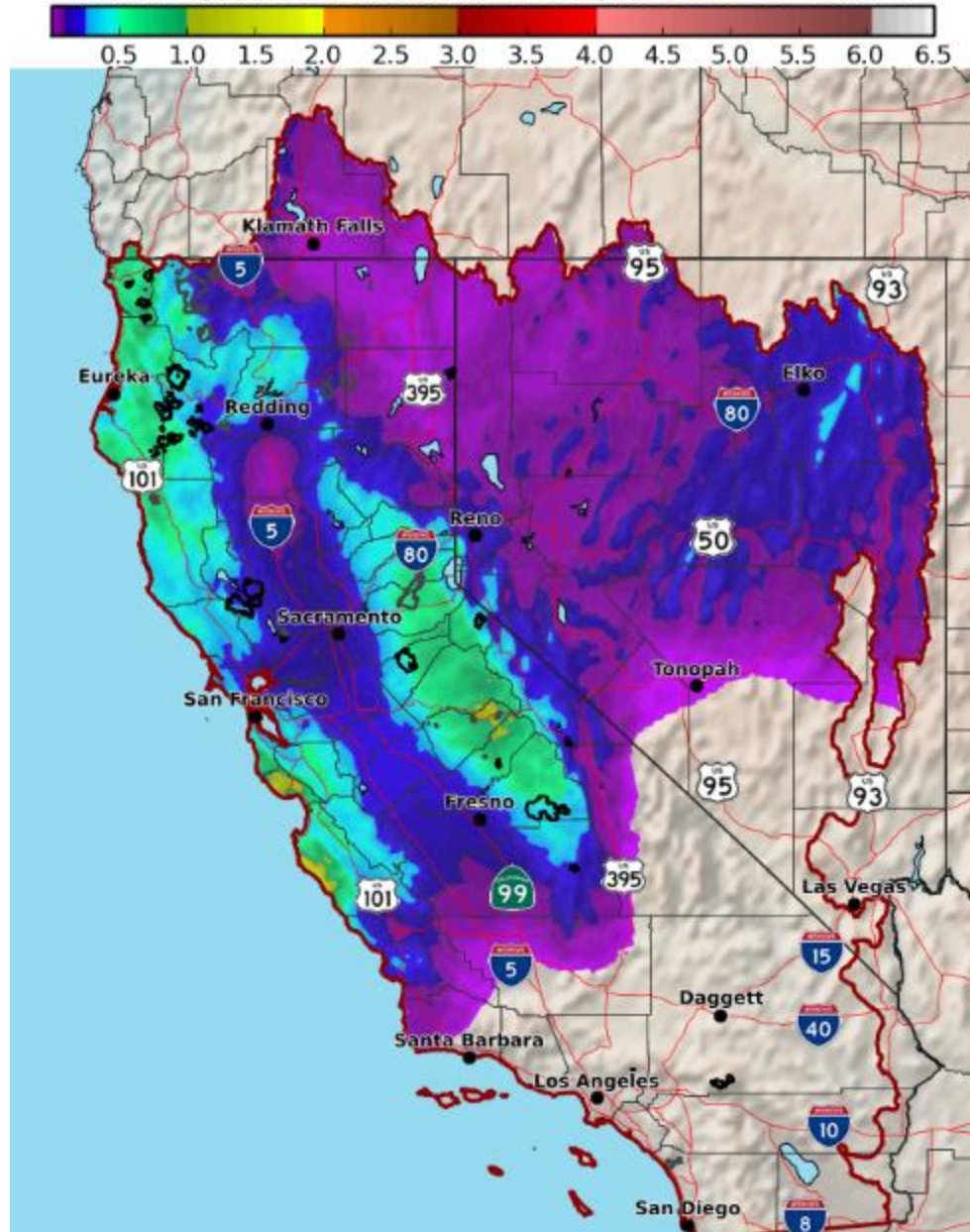
Valid: Sun Jan 17, 2016 at 04 AM PST to Mon Jan 18, 2016 at 04 AM PST



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24 HOUR PRECIPITATION FORECAST

Valid: Mon Jan 18, 2016 at 04 AM PST to Tue Jan 19, 2016 at 04 AM PST



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FIRE ACTIVITY



Preparedness Levels

National Preparedness Level 1

Northern California

Preparedness Level 1, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

Southern California

Preparedness Level 2, Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode 2

California Fire Potential & Weather Maps

Southern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/8>

Northern California 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

<http://psgeodata.fs.fed.us/7day/action/forecast/10>

California Fire Weather Map Watches and Warnings

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/firewx/main.php>

NWS California River Forecast Center:

<http://www.cnrfc.noaa.gov/>

CAL OES 2014 DROUGHT

Cal EOC Incident – 2014 Drought

- The SOC is activated in support of the Drought State of Emergency and continue to monitor the situation.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-26-14 on 09/19/14, to streamline relief efforts for families with drinking water shortages due to drought, specifically through the California Disaster Assistance Act, to provide temporary water supplies to households without water for drinking and/or sanitation purposes.
- The Governor issued Executive Order B-29-15 on 04/01/15 which announced actions that will save water, increase enforcement to prevent wasteful water use, streamline the state's drought response and invest in new technologies to make California more drought resilient.
- CDAA 2014 Drought Fact Sheet and Frequently Asked Questions provided to Regions for reference and distribution.
- Cal OES Recovery continues to coordinate the Community Impacts Workgroup conference calls. Currently, the calls take place on alternating Wednesdays.
- Cal OES Recovery/Individual Assistance finalized an updated 2015 version of the drought brochure of programs and services for individuals, businesses, farmers, and ranchers. It has been put on the Governor's Drought webpage. State agencies may put the following link to the brochure on their webpage <http://ca.gov/drought/pdf/Drought-Assistance-Brochure-2015.pdf>
- Cal OES Regions (Inland, Coastal, Southern) collective OA drought call is facilitated by the SOC and will be held once per month.

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Local Emergency Proclamations:

A total of 63 local Emergency Proclamations have been received to date from city, county, and tribal governments, as well as special districts:

- 29 Counties: Butte, Colusa, Calaveras, El Dorado, Fresno, Glenn, Inyo, Humboldt, Kern, Kings, Lake, Madera, Mariposa, Merced, Modoc, Plumas, San Bernardino, San Joaquin, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, Shasta, Siskiyou, Sonoma, Stanislaus, Sutter, Trinity, Tulare, Tuolumne, and Yuba.
- 13 Cities: City of Live Oak (Sutter County), City of Lodi (San Joaquin County), City of Manteca (San Joaquin County), City of Montague (Siskiyou County), City of Porterville (Tulare County), City of Portola (Plumas County), City of Ripon (San Joaquin County), City of San Juan Bautista (San Benito County), City of Santa Barbara (Santa Barbara County), City of Rancho Cucamonga (San Bernardino County) and City of West Sacramento (Yolo County), City of Willits (Mendocino County), and City of Fort Bragg (Mendocino County).
- 9 Tribes: Cortina Indian Rancheria (Colusa County), Hoopa Valley Tribe (Humboldt County), Karuk Tribe (Siskiyou/Humboldt Counties), Kashia Band of Pomo Indians of the Stewarts Point Rancheria (Sonoma County), Picayune Rancheria of Chukchansi Indians (Madera County) Sherwood Valley Pomo Indian Tribe (Mendocino County), Tule River Indian Tribe (Tulare County), Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation (Yolo County), and Yurok Tribe (Humboldt County).
- 12 Special Districts: Carpinteria Valley Water District (Santa Barbara County), Goleta Water District (Santa Barbara County), Groveland Community Services District (Tuolumne County), Lake Don Pedro Community Services District (Mariposa Stanislaus County), Mariposa Public Utility District (Mariposa County), Meiners Oaks Water District (Ventura County), Montecito Water District (Santa Barbara County), Mountain House Community Service District (San Joaquin County), Nevada Irrigation District (Nevada County), Placer County Water Agency (Placer County), Tuolumne Utilities District (Tuolumne County), and Twain Harte Community Services District (Tuolumne County).



Mission:

We protect lives and property, build capabilities, and support our communities for a resilient California.

We achieve our mission by serving the public through effective collaboration in preparing for, protecting against, responding to, recovering from, and mitigating the impacts of all hazards and threats.